

Commissioner for Patents United States Patent and Trademark Office P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 www.uspto.gov

MAILED

Joseph A Walkowski Trask Britt & Rossa P O Box 2550 Salt Lake City UT 84110

OCT 26 2009

OFFICE OF PETITIONS

In re Application of

Kinsman, et al.

Application No. 09/538,684

DECISION ON PETITION

Filed: March 30, 2000

Attorney Docket No. 3056.1US (96-803.1)

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed July 1, 2009, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

The above-cited application became abandoned for failure to file a proper reply to the Notification of Non-Compliant Appeal Brief mailed February 24, 2009, which set a one (1) month shortened period for reply. A response was filed March 23, 2009. By a communication mailed June 12, 2009, applicant was informed that the appeal was dismissed and that the application was abandoned. The application became abandoned on March 25, 2009.

The "Reply Brief" and "Brief on Appeal" filed July 1, 2009, are noted.

The application file is being forwarded to Technology Center 2800, GAU 2894 for further processing.

Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to the undersigned at (571) 272-3222.

Kenya A. McLaughlin Petitions Attorney

Office of Petitions